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In re application of:

DUNKEL et al.

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Reply to Restriction Requirement

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the Office Action dated January 25, 2010, requesting an election of one invention to prosecute in the above-referenced patent application, Applicants hereby provisionally elect to prosecute the invention of Group I, represented by claims 1-7, drawn to haloalkyl carboxamide derivatives, method of using and method of making, when A is (A1) and M is phenyl. Applicants also hereby provisionally elect the compound of example 2 as the species. These elections are made without prejudice to or disclaimer of the other claims or inventions disclosed.

The structure of the compound of example 2 is:

$$F_2HC$$
 O CH_3 H_3C

The compound of example 2 can be found in the application as filed, *see* the application at page 50, lines 13-15. Claims 1-7 read on the compound of example 2.